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## Shovers, Marc

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**From:** Olin, Rick  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 17, 2007 2:19 PM  
**To:** Shovers, Marc  
**Subject:** RE: Drafting Request for JFC Action

Marc:  
Based on the wording in the motion and comments Rep. Meyer made to the Committee, the new provision should extend to clerks, treasurers, and clerk-treasurers.

Rick

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**From:** Shovers, Marc  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 17, 2007 1:59 PM  
**To:** Olin, Rick  
**Subject:** RE: Drafting Request for JFC Action

Hi Rick:

Current law authorizes towns to combine the offices of clerk and assessor, and clerk and treasurer. See s. 66.0305 (1) and (2). Also, a town in a county that has only 1 town can combine any 2 or more town offices. See s. 66.0305 (3). Would a clerk/treasurer, a clerk/assessor, or a clerk/anything else or treasurer/anything else be eligible to receive the new \$15,000 max if he or she is also a town employee? Thanks.

Marc

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**From:** Olin, Rick  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 17, 2007 12:52 PM  
**To:** Shovers, Marc  
**Cc:** Ammerman, Fred  
**Subject:** Drafting Request for JFC Action

Hi Marc:  
This summarizes JFC action on my material. Please prepare drafts, as needed:

**Compensation for Elected Town Officers Who Also Serve as a Town Employee (Motion #273)**  
**Amend current law s. 60.37(4)(a) -- copy of motion to follow**

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thanks,

Rick (6-9916)

SHARED REVENUE AND TAX RELIEF

Compensation for Elected Town Officers Who Also Serve as a Town Employee

Motion:

Move to modify the current law provision that limits the amount of pay that an elected town officer, who also serves as a town employee, may receive for serving as a town employee by establishing a limit of \$15,000 for clerks and treasurers and continuing the current law limit of \$5,000 for all other elected officers.

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Note:

Some elected town clerks and treasurers are also employed by their towns to perform functions in addition to their official responsibilities. Current law limits their pay for such other functions to \$5,000 annually. This motion would increase that limit to \$15,000.



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**TO 2007 SENATE BILL 40**

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9 and town treasurer, who also serves as a town employee may be paid an hourly wage  
10 for serving as a town employee, not exceeding a total of \$15,000 each year. Amounts  
11 that are paid under this paragraph may be paid in addition to any amount that an

1 individual receives under s. 60.32 or as a volunteer fire fighter, emergency medical  
2 technician, or first responder under s. 66.0501 (4). The \$5,000 maximum in this  
3 paragraph includes amounts paid to a town board supervisor who is acting as  
4 superintendent of highways under s. 82.03 (1).”

History: 1983 a. 532; 2001 a. 16; 2003 a. 214.

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